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SUBJ: UAE RULERS

STRENGTHEN FEDERAL AUTHORITY OVER BORDER AND IMMIGRATION CONTROL

REF: ABU DHABI 1896

1. FURTHER RESULT OF SUPREME COUNCIL MEETING JULY 12, ACCORDING TO ABU DHABI PRESS, WAS DECISION TO ACCEPT RECOMMENDATIONS BY COMMITTEE OF SAUDI POLICE EXPERTS HEADED BY MAJOR GENERAL ALI AL-GHAMIDI TO STRENGTHEN FEDERAL AUTHORITY ON BORDER AND IMMIGRATION CONTROL. IT WAS AGREED TO ESTABLISH A SINGLE FEDERAL BORDER GUARD FORCE TO CONSIST OF ALL COASTAL AND BORDER GUARD FORCES PLUS NEW UNITS TO BE CREATED FOR GUARDING MARINE AND PETROLEUM INSTALLATIONS. NEW FORCE WILL BE UNDER CONTROL OF MINISTRY OF INTERIOR WHICH WILL DISTRIBUTE THE FORCE AMONG THE DIFFERENT EMIRATES ACCORDING TO RECOMMENDATIONS BY THE SAUDI COMMITTEE.

2. RULERS ALSO REPORTEDLY DECIDED, ALSO IN ACCORDANCE WITH SAUDI COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS, TO ENFORCE SINGLE IMMIGRATION POLICY FOR UAE (UNTIL NOW IMMIGRATION HAS THEORETICALLY BEEN FEDERAL RESPONSIBILITY, BUT IN FACT INDIVIDUAL EMIRATES HAVE
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FOLLOWED THEIR OWN IMMIGRATION POLICIES). MINISTRY OF INTERIOR,

THROUGH ITS BORDER CONTROL FORCES, WILL NOW BE RESPONSIBLE FOR
APPLYING UNIFORM IMMIGRATION POLICIES AND PROCEDURES THROUGH-
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